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SUBJECT: MISCREANTS ARRESTED IN CHITTAGONG; ADMIT BEING TRAINED
IN INDIA

REF: A. 76 DACCA 5811 B. DACCA 0123

1. SIX MEN ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH GRENADE BLASTS IN
CHITTAGONG NOVEMBER 5 (REF A) AND JANUARY 5 (INCLUDING AT USIS
OFFICE - REF B) REPORTEDLY ADMITTED BEING CONNECTED
WITH "ELEMENTS WHO WERE BEING TRAINED IN INDIA
FOR SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES INSIDE BANGLADESH,"
ACCORDING TO THE BANGLADESH PRESS JANUARY 25.
THE ARRESTED MEN, INCLUDING A BUSINESSMAN,
AN ADVOCATE AND A STUDENT, CLAIMED TO HAVE BEEN SUPPORTED
BY ONE MOULVI SYED, IDENTIFIED AS AN AWAMI LEAGUE
WORKER AND JUBO (YOUTH) LEAGUE CHIEF OF CHITTAGONG.
ACCORDING TO ONE OF THE ARRESTED MEN, MOULVI SYED CAME
TO CHITTAGONG FROM INDIA IN OCTOBER WITH THE INTENTION
OF CREATING PANIC AND CHAOS IN ORDER TO HARDEN PUBLIC
SUPPORT AGAINST THE BDG. HE WAS SUPPLIED BY THE INDIANS
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WITH ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MONEY AND INSTRUCTED TO
RECRUIT SABOTEURS. ALTHOUGH MOULVI REPORTEDLY PARTICI-
PATED IN THE BOMBINGS, HE ESCAPED ARREST.

2. COMMENT: THE ALLEGED CONFESSIONS OF THE SIX, IN-
CLUDING PICTURES OF THE MEN WITH THEIR CLANDESTINE
WEAPONS, WERE DISPLAYED PROMINENTLY IN ALL THE PAPERS.

SUCH PICTURES AND CONFESSIONS HAVE BEEN PRINTED BEFORE,
BUT TO LINK SABOTEURS DIRECTLY WITH AN AWAMI LEAGUE
POLITICIAN IS LESS COMMON. THE ALLEGED CONFESSIONS COME
ONLY TWO DAYS BEFORE THE START OF BANGLADESH-INDIA
BORDER TALKS IN DACCA.
MASTERS

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